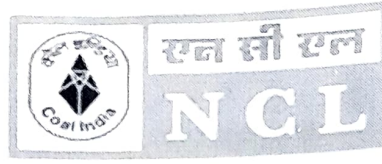


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Ref: NCL/KHD/GM/Min/Env/FC 53.142 Ha/2024-25/4612

Date: - 26/12/2024

To,  
Divisional Forest officer,  
Singrauli Forest Division  
MP Forest Department,  
Singrauli

**Subject:-** Diversion of 53.142 Ha forest land in compartment No PF-261, Waidhan Range of Singrauli Forest Division for Khadia Expansion Open Cast Coal Mine Project by M/s Northern Coalfields Ltd. (NCL) under Singrauli District of Madhya Pradesh State (Online No FP/MP/MIN/149270/2021)

Ref.: (i) Online proposal no. FP/MP/MIN/149270/2021

(ii) EDS raised by AIG (Forest), MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide letter dated 17.09.2024.

(iii) Letter issued by APCCF (Land Management), MP, Bhopal vide letter no. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/149270/2021/4982 dated 24.09.2024.

(iv) EDS raised by DFO, Singrauli on 08.10.2024

Respected Sir,

In reference to the above, this is to submit that an EDS was raised by AIG (Forest), MoEF&CC, New Delhi in the online proposal for Diversion of 53.142 Ha forest land in compartment No PF-261, Waidhan Range of Singrauli Forest Division for Khadia Expansion Open Cast Coal Mine Project by M/s Northern Coalfields Ltd. (NCL) under Singrauli District of Madhya Pradesh State, vide letter 17.09.2024.

In connection with the above letter, APCCF (Land Management), MP, Bhopal vide letter no. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/149270/2021/4982 dated 24.09.2024 raised query to your good office for reply of queries raised by MoEF&CC, New Delhi. As per the letter, reply of query of point no. ii, iii, vi, ix & x was to be provided by Khadia Project.

Point wise reply of the queries raised by MoEF&CC, New Delhi vide letter dated 17.09.2024 is enclosed herewith.

It is requested to kindly consider the replies submitted and forward the online proposal with kind reply of remaining queries in the EDS issued by MoEF&CC, New Delhi.

Encl.: - As above.

Yours faithfully,

General Manager  
Khadia Area, NCL

Copy to:- (1) General Manager (Environment & Forest), NCL Singrauli  
(2) General Manager, Dudhichua Area, NCL.

**Northern Coalfields Limited**  
**Khadia Area**

**Point wise reply of the queries raised by MoEF&CC, New Delhi on 17.09.2024 in the Forest clearance application of 53.142 Ha required for Expansion of Khadia OCP.**

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ii	The variation in the forest area within the lease has been observed as the total Mine lease of Khadia OCP is 1697.906 ha, out of which 750 ha approved Forest land is in Uttar Pradesh State and remaining 187.623 ha approved Forest land [180 ha forest approved for Khadia & 7.623 ha forest land approved for Bina extension OCP has been proposed to be included in Khadia OCP] is in Madhya Pradesh State and the user agency has submitted instant forest diversion proposal for 53.142 ha forest land. Hence, total forest land within the lease is found to be 990.765 ha whereas the State Govt. has stated that the total forest within the lease area is 904.765 ha. This variation needs clarification.	<p>Regarding 750 Ha approved forest land in Uttar Pradesh, following may please be noted.</p> <p>FC was combinedly obtained for 1305 Ha Forest land for Dudhichua and Khadia OCP. However, considering mining and operational feasibility, out of the 750 Ha, only 664 Ha is within the leasehold area of the Khadia OCP. The remaining land lies in Dudhichua OCP.</p> <p>It is pertinent to mention here that Both Khadia and Dudhichua OCP are projects and owned by Northern Coalfields Limited and the said Forest Clearance was combinedly obtained for Khadia and Dudhichua OCP.</p> <p>Hence, considering only 664 Ha forest land in Khadia Area in Uttar Pradesh, total forest land in Khadia Expansion OCP comes 904.765 Ha. Breakup in tabular form with FC Nos. are given below.</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Sl. No.</th><th>Forest land details</th><th>FC details</th></tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>1</td><td>664 Ha in UP state</td><td>letter no. S-298/87-FC dated 30.07.1990.</td></tr> <tr> <td>2</td><td>180 Ha in MP</td><td>letter no. S-85/2005-FC dated 14.09.2010.</td></tr> <tr> <td>3</td><td>7.623 Ha in MP</td><td>letter no. S-58/2005-FC dated 13.08.2007 (Being transferred from Bina OCP)</td></tr> <tr> <td>4</td><td>53.142 Ha in MP</td><td>Application in process</td></tr> <tr> <td>Total</td><td>904.765 Ha.</td><td></td></tr> </tbody> </table>	Sl. No.	Forest land details	FC details	1	664 Ha in UP state	letter no. S-298/87-FC dated 30.07.1990.	2	180 Ha in MP	letter no. S-85/2005-FC dated 14.09.2010.	3	7.623 Ha in MP	letter no. S-58/2005-FC dated 13.08.2007 (Being transferred from Bina OCP)	4	53.142 Ha in MP	Application in process	Total	904.765 Ha.	
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iii	The variation in the approved forest land has been noticed in the State Govt. letter dated 05.08.2024 because as per the approval granted by Ministry vide letter no. 8-298/87-FC dated 30.7.1990 for an area of 1305.00 ha which includes 750 ha for Khadia OCP Mine whereas State Govt. mentioned that 664 ha has been approved for Khadia OCP Mine in Uttar Pradesh State. This variation needs clarification.	FC was combinedly obtained for 1305 Ha Forest land for Dudhichua and Khadia OCP. However, considering mining and operational feasibility, out of the 750 Ha, only 664 Ha is within the leasehold area of the Khadia OCP. The remaining land lies in Dudhichua OCP.  It is pertinent to mention here that Both Khadia and Dudhichua OCP are projects and owned by Northern Coalfields Limited and the said Forest Clearance was combinedly obtained for Khadia and Dudhichua OCP.
iv	The state Govt. has not submitted / uploaded the technically approved CA scheme/crop improvement program along with site suitability certificate for non forest land proposed for CA which needs submission.	Reply to this point may be arranged by Forest Department, Singrauli, M.P. after receipt of the same from Forest Department, Damoh, M.P.
v	The State Govt. shall submit the KML file of 360 Ha degraded forest land for CA which was then approved against forest diversion proposal of 180 Ha.	Reply to this point may be arranged by Forest Department, Singrauli, M.P.
vi	The State Govt. shall submit the Map/ KML file showing the mineral transportation routes and the additional requirement of forest land if any	KML file of the transportation route is enclosed at C(a)(5) at part -I of the application.  Details of the mineral Transport route is as below. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Through existing Coal Handling Plant of 04 MTPA:- This CHP is built within the mine lease area of Khadia OCP and no separate forest land is required. Through This CHP, coal is being dispatched through rail mode.</li> <li>2. Through existing Coal Handling Plant of 06 MTPA:- This CHP is built within the mine lease area of Khadia OCP and no separate forest land is required. Through This CHP, coal is being dispatched through rail mode.</li> <li>3. Through Upcoming Rapid Loading System (RLS) of 04 MTPA:- This RLS is being constructed within the mine lease area of Khadia OCP and no separate forest land is required. Through This RLS, coal will be dispatched through rail mode.</li> <li>4. Using Krishnashila CHP:- A portion of coal will be dispatched through Krishnashila CHP and FC of all the required land has been obtained by Khadia and Krishnashila OCP. FC obtained by Krishnashila OCP is enclosed herewith as Annexure-A.</li> <li>5. Using Wharfwall of Jhingurdah Wharfwall / western Stream of CHP:- A portion of coal will be</li> </ol>

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		<p>dispatched through Jhingurdah Wharfwall and FC of all the required forest land has been obtained by Khadia, Dudhichua OCP and Jhingurdah OCP. FC obtained by Dudhichua OCP &amp; Jhingurdah OCP is enclosed herewith as Annexure-B.</p> <p>Map of transportation route is enclosed as annexure – C.</p>
vii	<p>As per DSS analysis (Copy enclosed), small part of proposed CA land on NFL is falling in forest compartment boundary i.e. Range:Sagoni, Block: Padari, Division :Damoh. The state Govt shall look into the matter and shall ensure that CA is proposed on Non forest land which is suitable and free from all encumbrances.</p>	<p>Reply to this point may be arranged by Forest Department, Singrauli, M.P. after receipt of the same from Forest Department, Damoh, M.P.</p> <p>However, it is pertinent to mention here that a joint inspection has been made by representatives of Forest department, Damoh, Revenue Department, Damoh and Khadia Area, NCL and it has been observed that there is no forest land overlapping with the identified non-forest land for CA. Copy of the Panchnama signed after joint inspection is enclosed herewith as Annexure-D. Also KML of the identified CA land is being sent through mail.</p>
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ix	<p>The reason for non-inclusion of forest land under Uttar Pradesh State in the instant lease has not been clarified.</p>	<p>As shown in the enclosed map of the queries raised, the said area is Shaktinagar Railway Station and does not form the part of Khadia Leasehold Area. This Area is excluded from Khadia Leasehold Boundary also.</p>
x	<p>Based upon the compartment boundaries available on the DSS, the forest land within the lease was found 242.574 ha out of which the State Govt. has given details of 240.765 ha forest land only. Hence, status of 1.809 ha forest land shall be clarified.</p>	<p>The KML of outer boundary has been corrected and the forest land within Madhya Pradesh state is 240.765 Ha, details of which is as follows:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Forest Clearance for 180 Ha obtained vide letter no. 8-85/2005-FC dated 14.09.2010.</li> <li>2. 7.623 Ha area to be diverted from Bina OCP of M/s NCL from the Forest Clearance obtained for 378.935 Ha vide letter no. 8-58/2005-FC dated 13.08.2007. Transfer of the same from Bina OCP to Khadia OCP is in process.</li> <li>3. For remaining 53.142 Ha area, present application has been made.</li> </ol>

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General Manager  
Khadia Area, NCL

F.No. 8-64/2004-FC  
Government of India  
Ministry of Environment and Forests

Paryavaran Bhawan,  
CGO Complex, Lodhi Road,  
New Delhi - 110003  
Date: 06.07.2006

To

The Principal Secretary (Forests)  
Govt. of Uttar Pradesh  
Lucknow.

**Sub : Diversion of 235.99 ha of forest land for Krishnashila Open Cast Project in favour of M/s Northern Coalfields Limited in district Sonbhadra, U.P.**

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter no. 792(1)/14-2-2004-500(5)/2004 dated 12.05.2004 on the above mentioned subject whereunder the above proposal was submitted seeking prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and to say that the proposal has been examined by Forest Advisory Committee constituted under Section-3 of the Act.

2. After careful consideration of the proposal of the State Government and on the basis of the recommendations of the above mentioned Advisory Committee, the Central Government granted in-principle approval vide letter of even no. dated 06.01.2005 subject to certain conditions. The compliance of these conditions was submitted vide Nodal Officer's letter No. 1318/11-C/24(Sonbhadra) dated 19.05.2006. After consideration of the proposal and compliance of various conditions by the State Government, the Central Government hereby conveys its approval under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 235.99 ha of forest land for Krishnashila Open Cast Project in favour of M/s Northern Coalfields Limited in district Sonbhadra, U.P. subject to the fulfilment of following conditions :-

- i. Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
- ii. Compensatory Afforestation will be raised and maintained over degraded forest land double in extent at the cost of User Agency.
- iii. The State Government shall deposit all the funds received from the User Agency with the Ad-hoc Body of Compensatory Afforestation Fund Management and Planning Authority (CAMPA) in Account No. CA 1574 of Corporation Bank (A Government of India Enterprises), Block-11, Ground Floor, C.G.O. Complex, Phase-1, Lodhi Road, New Delhi-110003, as per the instructions communicated vide letter No. 5-2/2006-FC dated 20.05.2006.

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- iv. The non-forest land identified for raising Compensatory Afforestation shall be notified by the State Government as R.F. under Section-4 or P.F. under Section-29 of the Indian Forest Act, 1927 or under the relevant Section(s) of the Local Forest Act, as the case may be, within a period of six months. The Nodal Officer (F.C.) shall report compliance.
- v. Felling of trees shall be done only when necessary and that too under strict supervision of and with the prior permission of the State Forest Department.
- vi. No labour camps shall be set up in the forest area nor any habitation shall be allowed to come up in the area.
- vii. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the proposal.
- viii. The forest land thus diverted shall be non-transferable. Whenever and whatever extent of forest land is not required by the User Agency, it shall be surrendered to the State Forest Department after proper rehabilitation under intimation to this Ministry.
- ix. Any, other condition that the C.C.F. (Central), Regional Office, Lucknow, may impose from time to time for protection and improvement of flora and fauna in the forest area, shall also be applicable.

*S.K. Chadha*  
(S.K. Chadha)

Assistant Inspector General of Forests

Copy to :

1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
2. The Nodal Officer, O/o the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh, Lucknow.
3. CCF (Central), Regional Office, Lucknow.
4. RO-Hq., New Delhi
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No. B-5/94-FC

Dated: 23.05.1996

To

The Secretary (Forests),  
Government of Uttar Pradesh,  
LUCKNOW.

Subj:- Diversion of 258.00 ha. of forest land for coal mine under  
Bina Mine No.11 project of HCL, Singrauli in District  
Sonbhadra.

Sir,

I am directed to refer to your letter No.7592/14-2-93-800  
107/1993 dated 5.1.94 on the above mentioned subject seeking  
prior approval of the Central Government in accordance with  
Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980

After careful consideration of the proposal of the State  
Government, the Central Government hereby conveys its approval  
under Section-2 of the Forest (Conservation) Act, for diversion  
of 258.00 ha. of forest land for coal mine under Bina Mine No.11  
project of HCL, Singrauli in District Sonbhadra, subject to  
fulfilment of following conditions:-

- (i) Legal status of forest land shall remain unchanged.
- (ii) The compensatory afforestation shall be raised over  
equivalent non-forest land at project cost. The non-forest  
land identified for compensatory afforestation will be  
notified as protected forest under the Indian Forest Act,  
1927.
- (iii) Fencing, protection and regeneration of the safety zone  
area shall be carried out at the project cost. Further,  
equivalent plantation over degraded forest land equivalent  
to the loss of safety zone area shall



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(iv) Lease period shall be determinable with lease under 1947  
Act subject to a maximum of 10 years.

(v) Adequate soil conservation/reclamation measures will  
taken at the project cost to prevent any soil erosion  
problem in catchment of Gobind Ballabh Pant Sagar.  
detailed plan in this regard will be prepared by the Forest  
Department, which will be implemented in a time bound  
manner at project cost.

(vi) Free fuelwood/alternate energy source will be provided to  
labourers working at project site.

Yours faithfully,

(A.N. SHARAN)  
ASSIST. INSPECTOR GENERAL OF FORESTS

Copy to:-

1. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests, Govt. of Uttar  
Pradesh, Lucknow.
2. Nodal Officer, Office of PEEP, Govt. of Uttar Pradesh,  
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**Government of India**  
**Ministry of Environment, Forest and Climate Change**  
**(Forest Conservation Division)**

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**Indira Paryavaran Bhawan,**  
Jorbagh Road, Aliganj,  
New Delhi – 110003  
Dated: 3<sup>rd</sup> May, 2021

To,  
**The Principal Secretary (Forests),**  
Government of Madhya Pradesh,  
Bhopal

**Sub: Diversion of 467.809 hectares of forest land/revenue forest land (443.000 ha. forest land + 24.809 ha. Revenue forest land=467.809 ha. forest land) for Opencast Coal Mining in favour of M/s. Northern Coal Fields Limited, Rewa in Singrauli District State of Madhya Pradesh (Online proposal No. FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015) -regarding**

Madam/ Sir,

I am directed to refer to Addl. Principal Chief conservator of Forests (Land Management) and Nodal Officer, Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, State Government of Madhya Pradesh letter No. F-1/783/2017/10-11/3262 Bhopal dated 30.10.2017 on the above mentioned subject, seeking prior approval of Central Government under Section-2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980. After careful examination and recommendation of the proposal by the Forest Advisory Committee constituted by the Central Government under Section-3 of the said Act, ***In-principle/Stage - I*** approval to the proposal was granted by this Ministry's letter of even number dated 19.04.2018 subject to fulfillment of certain conditions prescribed therein. The State Government has furnished compliance report in respect of the conditions stipulated in the in-principle approval and has requested the Central Government to grant final approval.

2. In this connection, I am directed to say that on the basis of the compliance report furnished by Addl. Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Land Management)

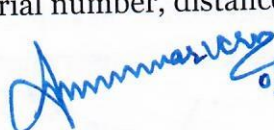
  
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and Nodal Officer, the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980, Government of Madhya Pradesh vide their letters No. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015/3108 dated 27.09.2019, letter No. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015/124 dated 08.01.2020, letter No. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015/1531 dated 20.05.2020, letter No. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015/116 dated 11.01.2021 and letter No. F-1/FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015/1333 dated 06.04.2021 '**Final approval /Stage – II**' of the Central Government is hereby granted under Section -2 (ii) of the Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 for diversion of 467.809 hectares of forest land/revenue forest land (443.000 ha. forest land + 24.809 ha. Revenue forest land=467.809 ha. forest land) for Opencast Coal Mining in favor of M/s. Northern Coal Fields Limited, Rewa in Singrauli District State of Madhya Pradesh, subject to fulfilment of the following conditions:

**A: Conditions which need to be complied prior to handing over of forest land to user agency by the State Govt.:**

- i. The User Agency shall implement the R&R Plan (if required) as per the R&R Policy of State Government in consonance with National R&R Policy, Government of India before the commencement of the project work and implementation. The said R&R Plan will be monitored by the State Government/Regional Office of MoEF &CC along with indicators for monitoring and expected observable milestones;
- ii. The State Government shall ensure that compliance of Scheduled Tribes and Other Traditional Forest Dwellers (Recognition of Forest Rights) Act, 2006 has been completed in accordance with the relevant Rules and Guidelines issued by the MoEF&CC in this regard, before handing over of forest land to the user agency;
- iii. The User Agency either itself or through the State Forest Department shall undertake fencing, protection and afforestation of the safety zone area (7.5 meter strip shall be kept within the mining lease or mining cluster, as applicable and such other areas as specified in the approved mining plan) at the project cost. Area of safety zone of a mining lease shall be a part of the total area of the mining lease;
- iv. The State Govt. shall ensure that the boundary of the diverted forest land, mining lease and safety zone, as applicable, shall be demarcated on ground at the project cost, by erecting four feet high reinforced cement concrete pillars, each inscribed with its serial number, distance from pillar to pillar and GPS co-ordinates; and

  
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- v. The User Agency shall obtain the Environment Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986;
- vi. The State Government shall upload the kml files of the area under diversion and the accepted degraded forest land for raising compensatory afforestation in the E-Green Watch portal of FSI, before handing over forest land to the user agency;

**B: Conditions which need to be complied after handing over of forest land to the user agency by the State Govt.:**

- i. Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged;
- ii. The State Government shall ensure that the minimum number of trees shall be removed and the trees should be felled under the strict supervision of the State Forest Department;
- iii. The Compensatory afforestation shall be taken up by the Forest Department over 935.618 ha degraded forest land ((i.e. twice in extent to the area of forest land proposed to be diverted ( $2 \times 467.809 = 935.618$  ha.) at the cost of the user agency. As far as possible, a mixture of local indigenous species shall be planted and monoculture of any species may be avoided;
- iv. The User Agency shall pay the additional amount of NPV, if so determined, as per the final decision of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India;
- v. The user agency shall undertake mining and reclamation of the mined out area as per the approved mining plan and the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer;
- vi. Period of diversion of the said forest land under this approval shall be for a period co-terminus with the period of the mining lease proposed to be granted under the Mines and Minerals (Development and Regulation) Act, 1957, and the Rules framed there-under as amended;
- vii. The State Govt. shall ensure that the Following activities be implemented by the user agency under the supervision of the State Forest Department at the project cost;
  - a. A plan containing appropriate mitigative measures to minimize soil erosion and choking of streams shall be prepared and implemented;
  - b. Planting of adequate drought hardy plant species and sowing of seeds in the appropriate area within the mining lease to arrest soil erosion;

  
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- c. Construction of check dams, retention /toe walls to arrest sliding down of the excavated material along the contour;
  - d. Stabilize the overburden dumps by appropriate grading/benching so as to ensure that that angles of repose at any given place is less than  $28^{\circ}$ ; and
  - e. Strict adherence to the prescribed top soil management;
- viii. The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government;
- ix. No labour camps shall be set up inside the forest area. Labour management plan should be implement with emphasis that no labour camp be set up in the close vicinity of the eco-fragile and sensitive areas;
- x. The Sufficient firewood, preferably the alternate fuel, shall be provided by the User Agency to the labourer after purchasing the same from the State Forest Department or the Forest Development Corporation or any other legal source of alternate fuel;
- xi. The boundary of the diverted forest land shall be suitably demarcated on ground at the project cost, as per the directions of the concerned Divisional Forest Officer;
- xii. No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work;
- xiii. No damage to the flora and fauna of the area shall be caused
- xiv. The period of diversion under this approval shall be co-terminus with the period of lease to be granted in favour of the user agency or the project life, whichever is less;
- xv. The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal;
- xvi. The concerned Divisional Forest Officer, will monitor and take necessary mitigative measures to ensure that there is no adverse impact on the forests in the surrounding area;
- xvii. The State Government shall ensure to implement the Integrated Wildlife Plan for the region at the project cost;
- xviii. The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior

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approval of Govt. of India;

- xix. The change in the layout plan of the mining lease, if required, shall be done as prescribed in the MoEF&CC Guideline F. No. 11-42/2017-FC dt 29/01/2018;
- xx. The Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the para 1.21 of comprehensive guidelines issued vide this Ministry F. No.5-2/2017-FC dated 28<sup>th</sup> March, 2019;
- xxi. The mining lease holder shall, after ceasing mining operations, undertake re-grassing of the mining area, and any other areas which may have been disturbed due their mining activities and restore the land to a condition which is fit for growth of fodder, flora, fauna, etc.;
- xxii. Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife shall be carried with by the State Government and user agency; and
- xxiii. The State Government and user agency shall ensure compliance to all conditions stipulated in the Stage-I approval letter dated 19.04.2018 for which undertakings have been obtained from the user agency and also the provisions of the all Acts, Rules, Regulations and Guidelines, relevant Hon'ble Court Order (S) and NGT Order (S), if any, pertaining to this project for the time being in force, as applicable to the project.

Yours faithfully,

  
(Shrawan Kumar Verma)

Dy. Inspector General of Forests

**Copy to: -**

1. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forest (HoFF), Department of Forests, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;
2. The Regional Officer, Integrated Regional Office, MoEF&CC, Bhopal;
3. The Nodal Officer, (FCA), Department of Forests, Government of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal;
4. User Agency;
5. Monitoring Cell, FC Division, MoEF & CC, New Delhi, for uploading on PARIVESH portal.

कार्यालय प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (कक्ष भू-प्रबंध) सतपुड़ा भवन, भोपाल, मध्यप्रदेश

क्रमांक/एफ-5/1102/2022/10-11/1617

भोपाल, दिनांक 6/5/22

प्रति,

वनमण्डलाधिकारी,

(सामान्य) वन मंडल सिंगरौली, मध्यप्रदेश।

**विषय:-** सिंगरौली जिले में बोदराटोला ग्राम की मौजूदा सड़क का चौड़ीकरण एवं मजबूतीकरण हेतु 0.957 हेक्टेयर वनभूमि झिगुरदहा परियोजना, नॉर्दर्न कोलफील्ड्स लिमिटेड (NCL) सिंगरौली को उपयोग पर देने बाबत। (ऑनलाईन क्रमांक FP/MP/ROAD/143702/2021 )

**संदर्भ:-**मुख्य वन संरक्षक, रीवा का पत्र क्रमांक/मा.चि./10247 दिनांक 31.12.2021

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उपरोक्त संदर्भित पत्र द्वारा विषयांकित प्रस्ताव अनुमोदन हेतु इस कार्यालय को मुख्य वन संरक्षक, रीवा एवं आपके द्वारा प्रस्तुत किया गया था। भारत सरकार द्वारा जारी नवीन गाइड लाईन, 2019 अनुसार 01 हेक्टेयर तक वन भूमि में प्रत्यावर्तन के अधिकार राज्य शासन को प्रदत्त है। राज्य शासन की ओर से उपरोक्त प्रकरण में सैद्धान्तिक स्वीकृति निम्नलिखित शर्तों के अधीन प्रदान की जाती है:-

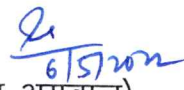
- 1- Legal status of the forest land shall remain unchanged.
- 2- NPV: Net Present Value(NPV) amount of Rs. 9,16,595/- is to be paid for the 0.957 ha forest area to be diverted under this proposal from the User Agency as per the orders of the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India dated 30/10/2002, 01/08/2003, 28/03/2008, 24/04/2008 and 09/05/2008 in IA No. 566 in WP (C) No. 202/1995 and as per the guidelines issued by the Ministry vide letters No. 5-1/1998-FC (Pt.II) dated 18/09/2003, as well as letter No. 5-2/2006- FC dated 03/10/2006 and 5-3/2007-FC dated 05/02/2009 in this regard.
- 3- Additional amount of the NPV of the diverted forest land, if any, becoming due after finalization of the same by the Hon'ble Supreme Court of India on receipt of the report from the Expert Committee, shall be charged by the State Government from the User Agency. The User Agency shall furnish an undertaking to this effect.
- 4- प्रकरण में कोई वृक्ष नहीं काटे जाना है। भारत सरकार द्वारा जारी दिशा निर्देशों के अनुसार काटे जाने वाले वृक्षों का 10 गुना रोपण अथवा 100 वृक्षों का रोपण किया जाना होता है। अतः प्रकरण में 100 वृक्षों की राशि, 2000/- प्रति वृक्ष की दर से राशि रु. 2,00,000/- कैम्पा मद में जमा कराई जावे।

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- 5- User agency shall restrict the no felling of trees.
- 6- All the funds received from the user agency under the project shall be transferred/ deposited to CAMPA fund only through e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).
- 7- The complete compliance of the FRA, 2006 shall be ensured by way of prescribed certificate from the concerned District Collector. This certificate should be uploaded on portal with compliance report.
- 8- User Agency shall obtain Environmental Clearance as per the provisions of the Environmental (Protection) Act, 1986, if applicable.
- 9- The layout plan of the proposal shall not be changed without prior approval of Central Government.
- 10- No additional or new path will be constructed inside the forest area for transportation of construction materials for execution of the project work.
- 11- The forest land shall not be used for any purpose other than that specified in the project proposal.
- 12- The forest land proposed to be diverted shall under no circumstances be transferred to any other agencies, department or person without prior approval of Govt. of India.
- 13- Violation of any of these conditions will amount to violation of Forest (Conservation) Act, 1980 and action would be taken as per the MoEF&CC Guideline F. No. 11- 42/2017-FC dt 29/01/2018. .
- 14- Any other condition that the Ministry of Environment, Forests & Climate Change may stipulate from time to time in the interest of conservation, protection and development of forests & wildlife.
- 15- No work shall be done during night.
- 16- The compliance report shall be uploaded on e-portal (<https://parivesh.nic.in/>).

उपरोक्तानुसार एन.पी.व्ही. की राशि रु. 9,16,595/- एवं 100 वृक्षों की रोपण की राशि रुपये 2,00,000/- आवेदक संस्थान से ऑनलाईन कैम्पा मद में जमा करावे। वन अधिकार अधिनियम के तहत कलेक्टर सिंगरौली का प्रमाण पत्र की प्रति इस कार्यालय को भिजवायें। तत्पश्चात स्वीकृति में अधिरोपित समस्त शर्तों का पालन आवेदक संस्थान से कराकर पालन प्रतिवेदन वेबपोर्टल पर अपलोड कराने के उपरांत इस कार्यालय को भिजवाये। जब तक इस कार्यालय द्वारा औपचारिक स्वीकृति जारी नहीं की जाती है, तब तक आवेदक संस्थान को कार्य करने/क्षेत्र हस्तांतरण की अनुमति जारी न की जावे।

  
(सुनील अग्रवाल)  
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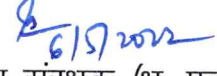
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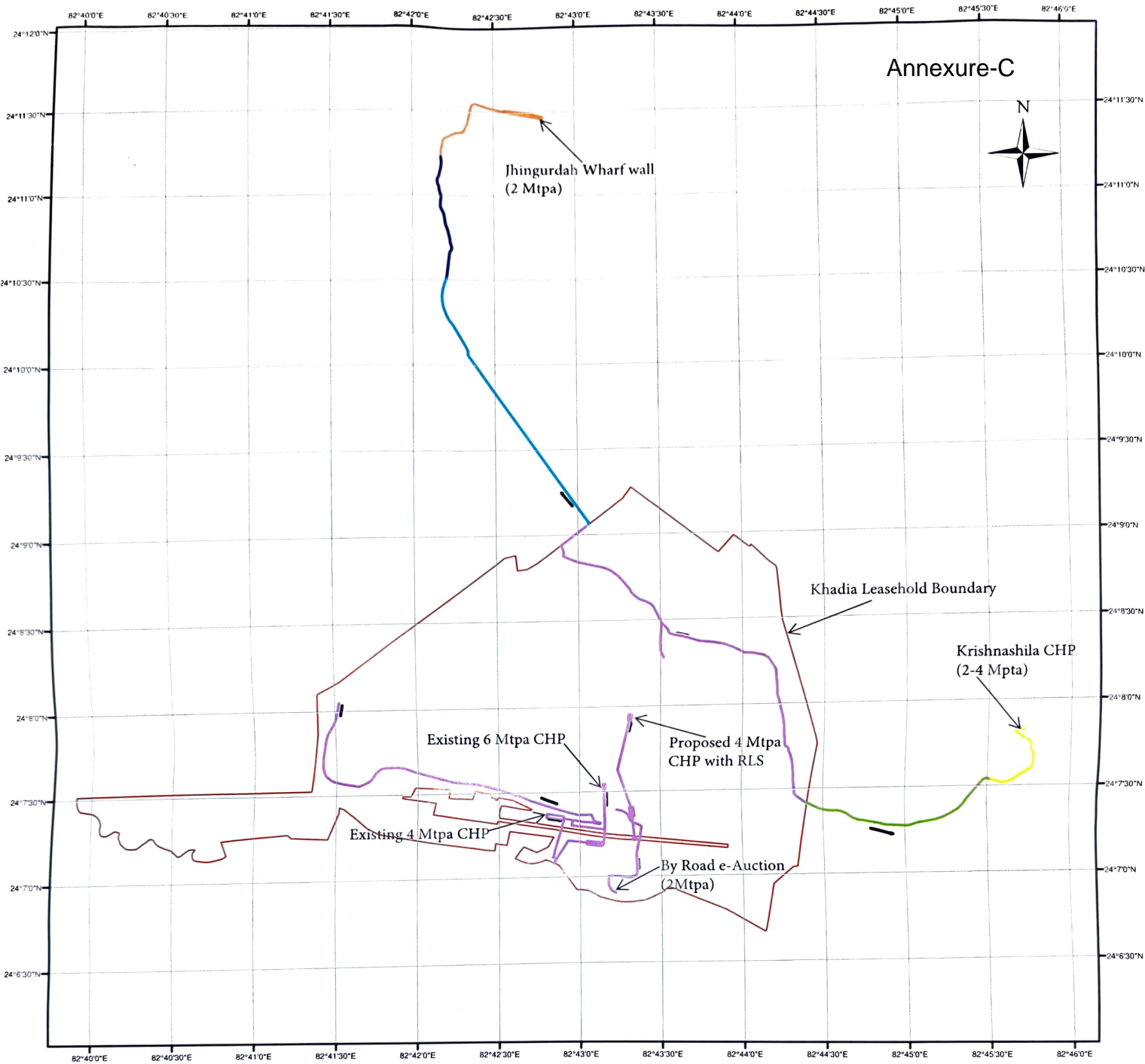
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- 2- महाप्रबंधक, झिंगुरदहा परियोजना, नार्दन कोलफील्ड लिमिटेड (NCL) सिंगरौली मध्यप्रदेश।

की ओर सूचनार्थ एवं आवश्यक कार्यवाही हेतु प्रेषित।



प्रधान मुख्य वन संरक्षक (भू-प्रबन्ध)  
मध्य प्रदेश, भोपाल





## Legend

- Khadia Lease (1697.906 ha)
- Coal transport within Khadia Leasehold
- Coal Transport through Krishnashila in Krishinsila CHP (F.No. 8-64/2004-FC dated 6.07.2006)
- Coal Transport through Krishnashila in Krishinsila CHP (F.No. 8-5/94-FC dated 23.05.1996)
- Coal Transport through Dudhichua in Jhingurdah W/W (File.No. 8-57/2017-FC dated 3.05.2021, Proposal No. FP/MP/MIN/13685/2015)
- Coal Transport in Jhingurdah W/W (F-5/1102/2022/10-11/1617 dated 6.05.2022, Proposal No. FP/MP/ROAD/143702/2021) Coal
- Transport in Jhingurdah W/W (Non Forest Land)

0 5000 10000 20000 30000 40000 Meters

*[Signature]*  
General Manager  
Khadia Area

*[Signature]*  
PROJECT OFFICER  
NCL, KHADIA PROJECT

स्टाफ अधिकारी (खनन)  
एन सी एल खडिया परियोजना

**Customer: Northern Coalfields Limited**

Map No. 1

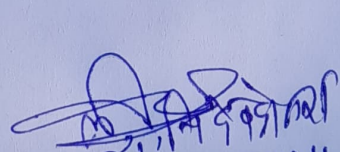
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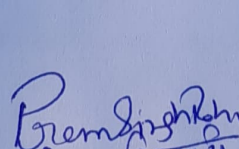
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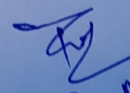
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COLLIERY MANAGER (Survey)  
NCL, KHADIA PROJECT Khadia Area

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05/12/24  
Asst. Mgr (Envr)

आज दिनांक 05/12/2024 को मौजा धुवरी पट्टा नं० 54, खसरा नं० 73 रकबा 92.230 हे० में से 53.142 हे० की खसिया परियोजना पोस्ट शक्तिनगर जिला सोनभद्र (झ.प्र.) वर्तमान सिंगरौली (म.प्र.) को हस्तांतरित की गई है। जिसका नाथूष तहसीलदार मवल्लु पुम्हारी, रजस्व निरीक्षण कुम्हार एंव देवडोगरा मवल्ल पत्नारी हल्ला 54 पमनी, खसिया परियोजना, एन.सी. एल. के तहत निधि रोहित कुमार गुप्ता वनविभाग की तरफ से लीट गठि ठपारी प्रेम सींग राई के साथ संयुक्त स्थल निरीक्षण किया गया। स्थल निरीक्षण में पाया गया कि पत्नारी हल्ला के पास वर्तमान चालू नक्शा जो उपलब्ध है, हस्तांतरित भूमि का 53.142 हे० रकबा चिन्हंकित किया गया, जो सही पाया गया। पत्नारी नक्शे के अनुसार वनविभाग की भूमि प्रमाणित नहीं होती है। हस्तांतरित रकबा गैर वन भूमि है।

  
प्रीत सिंह  
05.12.2024  
NT कुम्हार

  
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Dr. Manjeet Singh  
Khadi Area, ncl  
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